

**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT PATENT APPLICATION**

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **COMPOSITION FOR DYEING HAIR** the specification of which was filed as PCT International Application number PCT/EP 99/09005 on November 23, 1999.

I hereby state that I believe the named inventor or inventors in this Declaration to be the original and first inventor or inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior foreign application(s):Priority claimed:

198 56 342.6	GERMANY	December 7, 1998	X	
(Number)	(Country)	(Date filed)	Yes	No
299 08 464.7	GERMANY	May 12, 1999	X	
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199 33 313.0	GERMANY	July 16, 1999	X	
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199 34 283.0	GERMANY	July 21, 1999	X	
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